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MOVING AND SEPARATING NUCLEIC
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MOLECULES

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Office Action mailed October 27, 2004, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to which expires on January 27, 2005. A request for three month extension of time, to April 27, 2005, is filed concurrently with this response.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.